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For : AN EXPRESSION SILENCING SYSTEM AND DIFFERENT USES

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Sir:

NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE EXAMINER'S DECISION TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES

Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the Final Office Action mailed November 19, 2004 finally rejecting the pending claims 1-7, 9, 11, 13-24, 26-30 and 33-43 in connection with the above-identified application.

Applicants are concurrently filing an Amendment in Response to November 19, 2004 Final Office Action And Petition For Three-Month Extension of Time. With a three-month extension of time, a response is due May 19, 2005. Accordingly, this Notice of Appeal is being timely filed.

Applicants have previously established small entity status and such status is still applicable. The required fee for filing a Notice of Appeal under 37 C.F.R. §1.17(b) for a small entity is TWO HUNDRED FIFTY DOLLARS (\$250.00) and a check for this amount

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is enclosed.

No fee, other than the enclosed \$250.00 fee for filing a Notice of Appeal, is deemed necessary. However, if any additional fee is required, authorization is hereby given to charge the amount of such fee to Deposit Account No. 03-3125.

Respectfully submitted,

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited this date with the U.S. Postal Service with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Mail Stop AF, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

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